

B-3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by major industry sector and selected industry detail, seasonally adjusted

(In thousands)

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	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. ^P	Apr. ^P
Total nonfarm	131,173	131,227	131,311	131,407	131,492	131,694	131,806	131,963	132,186	132,461	132,720	132,874	132,989
Total private	108,989	109,097	109,199	109,374	109,426	109,642	109,781	109,959	110,193	110,470	110,724	110,890	111,020
Goods-producing	17,981	18,001	18,019	18,071	18,067	18,100	18,106	18,114	18,176	18,254	18,290	18,328	18,342
Mining and logging	768	777	786	795	798	804	810	814	822	830	837	837	837
Logging	49.0	48.2	47.9	48.4	47.9	47.9	47.0	48.7	48.7	49.0	48.1	47.9	47.0
Mining	718.9	728.3	738.2	746.1	749.7	756.3	762.9	764.9	773.3	781.0	788.5	788.9	789.5
Oil and gas extraction	170.0	171.4	173.4	175.2	176.8	180.0	182.6	183.2	186.3	188.4	189.8	192.5	193.3
Mining, except oil and gas ¹	215.4	217.8	218.7	218.4	219.8	219.9	220.6	219.1	220.5	220.8	221.2	220.7	220.8
Coal mining	85.8	87.2	87.5	86.4	87.2	87.5	87.4	86.9	86.6	86.5	86.3	85.8	85.4
Support activities for mining	333.5	339.1	346.1	352.5	353.1	356.4	359.7	362.6	366.5	371.8	377.5	375.7	375.4
Construction	5,495	5,498	5,495	5,508	5,498	5,528	5,519	5,520	5,546	5,564	5,563	5,560	5,558
Construction of buildings	1,217.3	1,211.4	1,214.4	1,215.8	1,216.7	1,228.9	1,230.4	1,226.9	1,226.7	1,231.5	1,238.2	1,227.6	1,224.0
Residential building	564.9	559.8	561.2	560.1	558.6	561.6	567.1	568.5	571.4	570.9	573.7	568.1	565.6
Nonresidential building	652.4	651.6	653.2	655.7	658.1	667.3	663.3	658.4	655.3	660.6	664.5	659.5	658.4
Heavy and civil engineering construction	830.1	831.6	827.7	827.0	824.8	829.4	832.3	834.2	840.0	840.7	841.6	845.2	848.5
Specialty trade contractors	3,448.0	3,455.4	3,453.2	3,464.9	3,456.2	3,469.9	3,456.4	3,458.5	3,479.6	3,491.3	3,483.1	3,487.1	3,485.0
Residential specialty trade contractors	1,439.0	1,454.3	1,448.5	1,450.1	1,448.5	1,448.8	1,453.9	1,453.4	1,455.0	1,460.5	1,461.1	1,465.8	1,472.1
Nonresidential specialty trade contractors	2,009.0	2,001.1	2,004.7	2,014.8	2,007.7	2,021.1	2,002.5	2,005.1	2,024.6	2,030.8	2,022.0	2,021.3	2,012.9
Manufacturing	11,718	11,726	11,738	11,768	11,771	11,768	11,777	11,780	11,808	11,860	11,890	11,931	11,947
Durable goods	7,245	7,264	7,281	7,303	7,300	7,304	7,317	7,331	7,361	7,401	7,428	7,456	7,471
Wood products	339.6	337.3	333.3	328.8	330.8	331.4	332.0	331.4	332.0	333.3	335.2	333.3	332.0
Nonmetallic mineral products	367.0	367.8	367.4	367.1	365.5	364.4	364.1	364.2	367.0	370.3	371.7	371.1	370.8
Primary metals	385.8	389.1	390.7	393.0	393.3	395.2	397.7	399.6	400.7	402.9	403.8	404.9	405.2
Fabricated metal products	1,337.7	1,345.2	1,350.0	1,355.3	1,350.6	1,349.6	1,349.6	1,359.4	1,367.8	1,377.3	1,385.0	1,390.3	1,396.0
Machinery	1,046.5	1,051.8	1,056.8	1,059.5	1,064.5	1,067.4	1,070.4	1,076.0	1,082.0	1,088.2	1,093.3	1,099.1	1,104.0
Computer and electronic products ¹	1,106.0	1,106.3	1,107.4	1,110.5	1,111.7	1,111.6	1,111.0	1,107.1	1,107.4	1,107.9	1,107.7	1,109.9	1,109.8
Computer and peripheral equipment	157.9	157.6	159.2	159.9	160.1	160.0	160.7	161.1	162.2	162.4	162.9	163.3	164.0
Communications equipment	117.1	116.1	115.9	115.1	114.6	114.3	113.2	113.1	112.2	111.1	110.7	110.7	109.6
Semiconductors and electronic components	382.2	383.2	382.8	385.2	386.9	387.7	388.2	387.0	386.5	387.0	387.8	387.4	387.4
Electronic instruments	405.0	404.3	404.4	404.7	404.1	403.8	403.6	401.1	401.4	402.0	401.2	403.1	403.0
Electrical equipment and appliances	365.8	366.5	367.2	368.1	368.0	367.6	367.8	367.3	369.1	370.6	372.5	373.7	373.7
Transportation equipment	1,371.2	1,372.6	1,377.9	1,387.2	1,384.5	1,389.3	1,400.8	1,405.1	1,414.2	1,424.0	1,430.7	1,443.7	1,446.0
Motor vehicles and parts ²	712.4	710.7	712.5	721.7	717.6	720.5	728.8	730.2	737.6	746.2	751.0	762.5	763.8
Furniture and related products	352.9	354.4	354.0	357.3	354.5	353.4	351.0	349.8	348.6	349.7	351.8	352.1	354.6
Miscellaneous manufacturing	572.5	573.4	576.1	576.2	576.1	574.5	572.4	571.0	572.6	577.2	576.7	577.4	578.7
Nondurable goods	4,473	4,462	4,457	4,465	4,471	4,464	4,460	4,449	4,447	4,459	4,462	4,475	4,476
Food manufacturing	1,467.5	1,460.7	1,455.9	1,460.7	1,456.0	1,454.7	1,456.2	1,446.0	1,442.2	1,446.6	1,449.7	1,453.6	1,455.3
Beverages and tobacco products	185.4	186.9	189.1	189.7	193.2	191.5	191.2	191.7	191.9	193.8	195.2	196.3	197.0
Textile mills	121.4	121.1	121.2	122.2	121.3	120.6	119.4	119.2	119.6	120.5	120.3	120.2	119.9
Textile product mills	118.3	118.0	118.3	117.6	118.0	115.4	114.8	115.2	114.3	112.8	113.8	113.7	113.7
Apparel	152.9	152.7	151.9	149.9	150.9	151.9	152.5	151.2	150.1	150.3	150.1	150.6	151.3
Leather and allied products	29.0	28.9	29.2	29.5	28.8	29.5	29.7	30.3	30.3	30.6	30.6	30.1	30.2
Paper and paper products	391.3	389.5	390.9	391.0	391.8	392.0	391.4	391.4	392.2	392.6	391.4	394.4	393.4
Printing and related support activities	474.4	471.5	469.4	468.3	471.6	465.6	463.5	460.7	459.6	460.5	458.6	456.5	456.7
Petroleum and coal products	112.1	112.3	111.8	111.7	111.0	111.8	113.3	113.5	113.9	115.2	115.3	114.7	115.2
Chemicals	786.5	785.0	787.0	788.8	792.1	794.2	793.2	791.0	793.8	796.8	795.4	799.0	798.2
Plastics and rubber products	634.0	635.2	632.3	635.9	636.5	637.1	634.7	638.6	639.5	639.5	641.9	645.7	644.8
Service-providing	113,192	113,226	113,292	113,336	113,425	113,594	113,700	113,849	114,010	114,207	114,430	114,546	114,647
Private service-providing	91,008	91,096	91,180	91,303	91,359	91,542	91,675	91,845	92,017	92,216	92,434	92,562	92,678

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Trade, transportation, and utilities	24,982	24,993	25,027	25,052	25,060	25,075	25,102	25,154	25,181	25,239	25,246	25,230	25,252
Wholesale trade	5,517.6	5,525.2	5,531.0	5,533.3	5,538.3	5,535.3	5,547.2	5,554.1	5,568.8	5,583.4	5,590.4	5,593.3	5,600.7
Durable goods	2,747.5	2,754.0	2,757.4	2,755.9	2,758.4	2,755.6	2,761.3	2,761.9	2,770.5	2,776.7	2,778.8	2,779.2	2,778.4
Nondurable goods	1,937.4	1,937.3	1,936.8	1,940.1	1,943.2	1,943.3	1,946.5	1,948.9	1,952.8	1,957.5	1,960.8	1,961.6	1,966.6
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	832.7	833.9	836.8	837.3	836.7	836.4	839.4	843.3	845.5	849.2	850.8	852.5	855.7
Retail trade	14,630.7	14,626.1	14,641.9	14,668.8	14,664.4	14,678.6	14,690.9	14,724.7	14,731.5	14,756.4	14,741.2	14,720.3	14,749.6
Motor vehicle and parts dealers ¹	1,680.5	1,684.0	1,685.3	1,692.4	1,693.8	1,696.1	1,701.4	1,705.6	1,709.3	1,713.7	1,717.7	1,719.1	1,720.9
Automobile dealers	1,049.7	1,053.0	1,055.5	1,058.1	1,059.6	1,061.5	1,066.1	1,069.0	1,071.4	1,077.1	1,079.9	1,080.1	1,083.1
Furniture and home furnishings stores	440.4	441.0	441.3	442.6	442.3	443.8	447.0	446.8	446.5	448.3	449.3	449.3	448.8
Electronics and appliance stores	532.8	531.7	531.5	531.6	524.2	517.0	516.6	515.8	514.8	512.8	513.4	509.8	510.2
Building material and garden supply stores	1,153.9	1,145.3	1,142.1	1,138.6	1,139.3	1,137.8	1,137.9	1,142.8	1,141.8	1,147.1	1,150.7	1,156.3	1,160.9
Food and beverage stores	2,826.7	2,824.6	2,828.6	2,830.5	2,834.3	2,840.4	2,841.1	2,839.1	2,848.5	2,856.0	2,859.9	2,861.8	2,859.1
Health and personal care stores	977.6	978.1	975.7	982.7	983.4	986.0	985.8	987.0	984.2	990.5	992.5	994.6	996.3
Gasoline stations	826.4	829.2	831.9	830.1	830.0	826.5	828.6	833.3	830.5	828.4	828.1	828.7	828.9
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	1,347.4	1,348.3	1,351.5	1,346.9	1,354.7	1,362.0	1,364.3	1,375.2	1,384.5	1,365.8	1,362.3	1,362.6	1,361.3
Sporting goods, hobby, book, and music stores	578.6	577.5	577.1	579.7	579.4	578.6	571.6	565.1	558.2	553.2	563.2	564.7	566.8
General merchandise stores ¹	3,071.1	3,067.3	3,075.7	3,078.4	3,078.5	3,085.1	3,091.9	3,118.3	3,116.0	3,136.1	3,094.6	3,070.5	3,091.9
Department stores	1,542.3	1,538.7	1,541.6	1,545.6	1,544.8	1,547.7	1,550.9	1,570.1	1,567.1	1,591.8	1,558.2	1,543.9	1,550.3
Miscellaneous store retailers	766.2	767.2	768.6	781.8	769.3	771.5	769.4	760.6	761.5	766.1	770.3	766.4	767.8
Nonstore retailers	429.1	431.9	432.6	433.5	435.2	433.8	435.3	435.1	435.7	438.4	439.2	436.5	436.7
Transportation and warehousing	4,279.5	4,287.0	4,298.5	4,295.0	4,301.9	4,303.7	4,306.8	4,316.7	4,321.8	4,338.9	4,353.2	4,355.0	4,338.4
Air transportation	454.9	456.2	457.5	459.4	457.3	457.4	456.1	455.8	456.1	457.9	456.7	457.7	459.0
Rail transportation	227.4	228.9	230.3	229.5	231.7	230.9	231.5	231.2	231.7	232.1	232.3	233.6	233.9
Water transportation	62.4	62.5	61.6	61.5	61.9	62.5	63.1	63.1	63.3	65.6	67.0	67.2	66.5
Truck transportation	1,295.3	1,298.7	1,302.4	1,303.8	1,302.5	1,304.4	1,307.1	1,311.1	1,318.1	1,322.7	1,334.5	1,332.0	1,333.8
Transit and ground passenger transportation	438.0	436.8	439.5	437.0	439.4	437.2	435.7	431.4	433.5	437.5	435.6	430.2	419.2
Pipeline transportation	42.8	42.9	43.1	42.9	42.6	42.9	43.0	43.2	43.4	43.5	43.8	43.8	43.9
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	26.6	29.3	29.6	28.5	28.6	28.5	29.6	29.7	29.6	30.4	32.0	31.4	31.2
Support activities for transportation	562.7	561.7	563.5	563.6	564.5	566.2	569.8	574.5	574.1	578.7	577.6	582.3	580.7
Couriers and messengers	525.2	525.5	525.8	521.7	525.5	525.3	523.3	528.3	521.9	522.9	524.5	528.7	521.3
Warehousing and storage	644.2	644.5	645.2	647.1	647.9	648.4	647.6	648.4	650.1	647.6	649.2	648.1	648.9
Utilities	554.3	554.7	555.6	555.3	555.7	557.0	556.7	558.2	559.1	559.9	560.7	561.8	563.2
Information	2,671	2,671	2,669	2,665	2,615	2,649	2,646	2,644	2,645	2,628	2,636	2,630	2,628
Publishing industries, except Internet	750.3	749.1	749.2	749.4	748.7	747.6	748.6	745.8	746.1	741.6	741.0	740.8	740.2
Motion picture and sound recording industries	358.8	361.7	359.7	360.6	361.8	356.6	356.5	359.5	363.8	352.3	365.9	360.2	364.2
Broadcasting, except Internet	282.6	281.9	281.8	281.4	280.9	280.9	280.3	279.0	279.6	280.4	279.3	282.4	281.6
Telecommunications	882.0	878.2	876.3	868.9	818.2	858.2	853.1	850.3	846.9	847.0	841.6	837.2	833.7
Data processing, hosting and related services	242.9	244.2	242.5	242.9	243.0	242.2	242.4	244.1	242.5	240.6	241.4	241.8	241.3
Other information services	154.2	156.2	159.3	161.4	162.6	163.5	165.3	165.1	166.5	166.3	166.6	167.8	166.6
Financial activities	7,679	7,693	7,680	7,676	7,681	7,675	7,680	7,691	7,696	7,697	7,704	7,718	7,719
Finance and insurance	5,749.2	5,758.4	5,754.6	5,749.9	5,751.9	5,746.4	5,744.1	5,750.7	5,756.8	5,757.2	5,757.9	5,766.4	5,766.8
Monetary authorities - central bank	18.6	18.7	18.8	19.0	19.2	19.2	19.4	19.2	18.9	18.9	18.9	18.9	19.0
Credit intermediation and related activities	2,554.4	2,564.2	2,559.8	2,558.0	2,556.8	2,555.5	2,552.2	2,563.4	2,570.1	2,575.0	2,575.5	2,585.1	2,581.9
Depository credit intermediation	1,735.6	1,741.7	1,740.2	1,740.9	1,741.1	1,740.3	1,738.2	1,742.0	1,745.9	1,748.3	1,749.3	1,754.8	1,751.7
Commercial banking	1,312.2	1,319.8	1,315.4	1,315.8	1,316.4	1,315.9	1,314.7	1,316.9	1,319.7	1,321.0	1,322.2	1,327.2	1,323.7

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Financial activities-Continued													
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	807.7	806.8	810.0	810.5	811.5	809.3	807.1	805.1	803.7	801.8	801.9	800.6	800.1
Insurance carriers and related activities	2,282.4	2,283.0	2,281.0	2,276.1	2,280.1	2,278.3	2,281.5	2,278.9	2,279.6	2,277.1	2,277.2	2,277.0	2,280.8
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	86.1	85.7	85.0	86.3	84.3	84.1	83.9	84.1	84.5	84.4	84.4	84.8	85.0
Real estate and rental and leasing	1,929.4	1,934.8	1,925.7	1,926.2	1,929.1	1,928.5	1,935.9	1,940.6	1,939.0	1,939.9	1,946.2	1,951.5	1,951.8
Real estate	1,402.4	1,409.7	1,403.8	1,404.1	1,404.0	1,397.8	1,404.4	1,408.9	1,408.5	1,410.4	1,413.2	1,416.0	1,416.5
Rental and leasing services	503.0	501.0	497.9	498.3	501.0	506.5	507.2	507.4	506.3	505.6	509.2	511.8	511.8
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	24.0	24.1	24.0	23.8	24.1	24.2	24.3	24.3	24.2	23.9	23.8	23.7	23.5
Professional and business services	17,242	17,298	17,303	17,342	17,382	17,441	17,482	17,521	17,593	17,672	17,761	17,798	17,860
Professional and technical services ¹	7,636.1	7,684.6	7,698.1	7,715.7	7,732.5	7,759.2	7,772.1	7,787.1	7,815.5	7,841.9	7,880.7	7,902.0	7,929.5
Legal services	1,114.0	1,115.1	1,111.2	1,116.0	1,115.7	1,114.5	1,115.0	1,116.7	1,115.6	1,117.5	1,118.7	1,117.0	1,120.9
Accounting and bookkeeping services	905.0	931.5	931.0	928.8	929.1	935.6	940.4	943.6	957.8	963.6	971.0	974.2	974.4
Architectural and engineering services	1,290.4	1,291.6	1,292.8	1,294.3	1,298.2	1,301.4	1,299.3	1,301.9	1,303.1	1,310.0	1,315.2	1,318.8	1,326.2
Computer systems design and related services	1,516.9	1,523.9	1,530.1	1,535.8	1,540.8	1,546.1	1,548.5	1,553.1	1,557.8	1,558.8	1,571.7	1,577.9	1,585.3
Management and technical consulting services	1,060.2	1,066.0	1,070.2	1,076.2	1,082.0	1,085.9	1,091.6	1,092.7	1,099.6	1,107.0	1,114.9	1,120.6	1,127.0
Management of companies and enterprises	1,906.8	1,914.9	1,914.5	1,916.3	1,917.9	1,923.9	1,926.8	1,928.3	1,932.5	1,936.1	1,936.0	1,940.3	1,942.3
Administrative and waste services	7,699.2	7,698.4	7,690.7	7,709.6	7,731.2	7,758.1	7,782.9	7,806.0	7,844.9	7,893.5	7,944.4	7,955.9	7,988.2
Administrative and support services ¹	7,335.7	7,334.2	7,326.9	7,344.8	7,364.6	7,389.4	7,413.5	7,439.1	7,477.0	7,522.7	7,572.5	7,584.3	7,616.0
Employment services ¹	2,931.4	2,930.5	2,922.9	2,935.3	2,954.5	2,975.8	2,985.5	3,014.1	3,047.9	3,083.9	3,148.4	3,137.1	3,164.9
Temporary help services	2,294.2	2,295.9	2,288.2	2,297.1	2,317.7	2,341.4	2,357.9	2,377.6	2,396.3	2,432.7	2,482.3	2,472.9	2,494.0
Business support services	811.7	811.0	812.2	811.9	813.0	812.9	811.3	814.4	819.9	821.3	816.9	813.4	815.2
Services to buildings and dwellings ..	1,776.3	1,775.8	1,772.5	1,774.9	1,777.0	1,779.2	1,787.4	1,784.1	1,780.5	1,788.5	1,783.4	1,803.5	1,805.5
Waste management and remediation services	363.5	364.2	363.8	364.8	366.6	368.7	369.4	366.9	367.9	370.8	371.9	371.6	372.2
Education and health services	19,804	19,823	19,848	19,898	19,931	19,989	20,026	20,046	20,079	20,110	20,181	20,226	20,249
Educational services	3,233.2	3,226.1	3,225.8	3,239.3	3,243.1	3,253.4	3,261.1	3,275.3	3,278.9	3,278.4	3,301.4	3,319.1	3,323.4
Health care and social assistance	16,571.0	16,596.7	16,622.4	16,658.5	16,688.3	16,735.8	16,764.6	16,770.8	16,800.3	16,831.1	16,880.0	16,906.8	16,925.2
Health care ³	13,985.4	14,003.6	14,029.8	14,062.0	14,088.1	14,134.3	14,158.2	14,162.2	14,185.4	14,219.2	14,257.4	14,282.7	14,301.7
Ambulatory health care services ¹	6,104.3	6,115.2	6,134.7	6,156.0	6,174.8	6,199.6	6,217.3	6,222.8	6,237.0	6,250.8	6,273.6	6,283.3	6,298.7
Offices of physicians	2,338.7	2,342.6	2,348.4	2,356.9	2,363.6	2,374.8	2,382.1	2,386.6	2,389.9	2,392.9	2,400.7	2,405.8	2,411.3
Outpatient care centers	618.3	620.9	621.2	621.3	623.7	628.4	632.1	635.8	637.9	642.4	646.2	647.7	648.4
Home health care services	1,129.1	1,130.2	1,136.7	1,140.7	1,147.7	1,154.0	1,156.1	1,154.3	1,160.0	1,164.8	1,168.8	1,173.3	1,179.6
Hospitals	4,717.6	4,721.3	4,720.4	4,731.2	4,735.6	4,752.4	4,757.6	4,765.2	4,774.3	4,787.2	4,799.9	4,808.6	4,812.7
Nursing and residential care facilities ¹	3,163.5	3,167.1	3,174.7	3,174.8	3,177.7	3,182.3	3,183.3	3,174.2	3,174.1	3,181.2	3,183.9	3,190.8	3,190.3
Nursing care facilities	1,668.9	1,668.9	1,674.3	1,672.3	1,670.9	1,671.4	1,671.8	1,661.0	1,661.4	1,663.9	1,660.3	1,665.0	1,661.0
Social assistance ¹	2,585.6	2,593.1	2,592.6	2,596.5	2,600.2	2,601.5	2,606.4	2,608.6	2,614.9	2,611.9	2,622.6	2,624.1	2,623.5
Child day care services	847.8	847.5	840.8	843.1	843.7	842.9	842.8	839.5	841.5	836.4	839.4	837.0	836.0
Leisure and hospitality	13,295	13,280	13,315	13,332	13,344	13,364	13,394	13,436	13,464	13,503	13,548	13,600	13,612
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	1,916.1	1,899.3	1,910.9	1,916.2	1,909.6	1,908.3	1,909.9	1,910.7	1,911.0	1,925.2	1,929.2	1,942.7	1,927.6
Performing arts and spectator sports ..	398.4	386.6	391.8	389.0	388.9	394.1	395.1	397.9	392.9	400.4	401.1	411.3	404.5
Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions	132.8	130.7	131.6	132.1	132.8	131.9	133.2	134.3	135.4	135.5	135.0	135.6	135.0
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	1,384.9	1,382.0	1,387.5	1,395.1	1,387.9	1,382.3	1,381.6	1,378.5	1,382.7	1,389.3	1,393.1	1,395.8	1,388.1
Accommodation and food services	11,378.9	11,380.2	11,404.1	11,415.7	11,434.1	11,455.9	11,484.4	11,525.4	11,552.5	11,578.1	11,618.8	11,657.7	11,684.4
Accommodation	1,791.4	1,790.6	1,807.6	1,814.2	1,812.6	1,806.8	1,811.8	1,799.9	1,802.0	1,801.4	1,807.0	1,810.4	1,817.4
Food services and drinking places	9,587.5	9,589.6	9,596.5	9,601.5	9,621.5	9,649.1	9,672.6	9,725.5	9,750.5	9,776.7	9,811.8	9,847.3	9,867.0
Other services	5,335	5,338	5,338	5,338	5,346	5,349	5,345	5,353	5,359	5,367	5,358	5,360	5,358
Repair and maintenance	1,156.2	1,158.9	1,158.9	1,159.7	1,159.7	1,162.9	1,164.4	1,166.0	1,165.3	1,166.9	1,159.9	1,157.9	1,155.7
Personal and laundry services	1,281.0	1,282.8	1,285.4	1,288.2	1,290.1	1,294.1	1,289.7	1,288.6	1,292.3	1,291.4	1,291.8	1,294.1	1,293.7

See footnotes at end of table.

B-3. Employees on nonfarm payrolls by major industry sector and selected industry detail, seasonally adjusted—Continued

(In thousands)

Industry	2011									2012			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. ^P	Apr. ^P
Other services-Continued													
Membership associations and organizations	2,898.0	2,896.1	2,894.0	2,889.9	2,896.3	2,892.4	2,891.1	2,898.7	2,901.1	2,908.9	2,906.3	2,907.6	2,908.7
Government	22,184	22,130	22,112	22,033	22,066	22,052	22,025	22,004	21,993	21,991	21,996	21,984	21,969
Federal	2,873.0	2,869.0	2,858.0	2,851.0	2,847.0	2,844.0	2,844.0	2,839.0	2,836.0	2,831.0	2,828.0	2,825.0	2,821.0
Federal, except U.S. Postal Service	2,234.0	2,232.5	2,224.9	2,219.2	2,219.3	2,221.8	2,219.9	2,218.3	2,216.2	2,211.5	2,208.0	2,207.2	2,202.4
U.S. Postal Service	639.1	636.8	633.0	631.9	627.6	621.8	623.7	620.3	619.5	619.3	620.0	618.0	618.8
State government	5,098.0	5,087.0	5,081.0	5,054.0	5,075.0	5,084.0	5,063.0	5,056.0	5,048.0	5,052.0	5,067.0	5,070.0	5,071.0
State government education	2,382.5	2,376.6	2,377.1	2,384.1	2,392.5	2,394.8	2,390.1	2,383.0	2,377.9	2,389.9	2,409.6	2,414.4	2,419.9
State government, excluding education	2,715.9	2,710.2	2,704.2	2,670.1	2,682.6	2,689.0	2,673.3	2,673.2	2,670.3	2,662.0	2,657.3	2,655.8	2,650.7
Local government	14,213.0	14,174.0	14,173.0	14,128.0	14,144.0	14,124.0	14,118.0	14,109.0	14,109.0	14,108.0	14,101.0	14,089.0	14,077.0
Local government education	7,930.5	7,899.2	7,903.1	7,862.5	7,880.7	7,866.7	7,866.0	7,858.1	7,859.5	7,858.4	7,854.5	7,842.6	7,831.9
Local government, excluding education	6,282.8	6,274.3	6,270.2	6,265.9	6,263.1	6,257.0	6,252.3	6,251.2	6,249.5	6,249.8	6,246.4	6,246.4	6,244.7

¹ Includes other industries, not shown separately.

² Includes motor vehicles, motor vehicle bodies and trailers, and motor vehicle parts.

³ Includes ambulatory health care services, hospitals, and nursing and residential care facilities.

^P= preliminary.

NOTE: Data are currently projected from March 2011 benchmark levels. When more recent benchmark data are introduced with the release of January 2013 estimates, all seasonally adjusted data from January 2008 forward are subject to revision.